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State Board of Education to convene in Cheyenne

Cheyenne – The Wyoming State Board of Education will be meeting on Thursday and Friday, January 13 and 14, in Cheyenne. The meeting will take place in room 1699 of the Herschler Building of the Wyoming State Government Complex.

The board will hold a work session on January 13 from noon to 4 p.m.

During the work session, the board will receive updates and information on items such as the legislative initiatives, the drop out media campaign, implementation of the standards and other items.

The board will hold its regular board meeting on January 14 from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. During the regular state board meeting, the board will receive an informational report from Superintendent of Public Instruction Cindy Hill, elect new officers and consider action on a BOCHES service agreement.

In addition, from 10 a.m. to noon, the board will convene a meeting of State Board of Vocational Education. During the State Board of Vocational Education meeting, the board will discuss and receive information on the 2011 Perkins State Plan requirements.

The full agenda for each meeting is available on the Wyoming State Board of Education website at http://edu.wyoming.gov/Divisions/stateboardofeducation.aspx

State Board of Education meetings are open to the public. The State Board of Education appreciates any interest in public education. Individuals will be allotted five minutes for public comment during the meetings.

Anyone requesting further information should contact the Wyoming Department of Education at 307-777-7673.

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